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WILLING TO ARBITRATE.

President Casto of Venezelan, Suddenly Assumes a Calm Exterior.

At First He Took a Very Warlike Attitude, Inviting Rebel Leaders to Join Him "for Venezula;" Later Reports, However, are to the Effect That He Will Settle.

CHANGES HIS MIND

About Fighting and Asks United States

ASK GERMANY AND GREAT BRITS

TO GERMAN AND ERITISH SUB-

JECUS BURING THE CIVIL WARS

IN VENEZUELA, BE SUBMITTED

THE MARIETTA

Left Caracao Today for the Scene of

the Disorder.

WASHINGTON DEC II IN

THE NAVY DEPARTMENT, THE

FEET CARAGAO FOR LA GUAYRA

CASTRO'S PROPOSITION

Will be Sent by Bowen to Foreign

Offices.

PRESCHED THAT MR BOWEN, IN

HIS CAPACITY OF TEMPORARY

EZUPLA, WILL COMMUNICATE

PRESIDENT CASTRO'S PROPOSI

COUNTRIES THE SECRETARY

GERMANY HOWEVER, FOWEN IS

click who was in the car when the

cutting occurred stated that there

wasn't a word of truth in Labban's

volunation of the trouble. The as

leault on Krofft was unprovoked and

Lobban was the only man in the car

dirk in his left hand, a large pruning

knife in his right and when searches

efter his arrest, a razor was also

brought to light. Lobban, according

to Mr. Graham, started to abuse the

two men of Lafayette, but they were

averse to having trouble with a man

l who was plainly drunk, Because he

was ignored seemed to enrage the man

he struck at Mr. Schroder severs

times, emphasizing each blow with

prolane epithet. Up to that time M:

Kraffi had taken no part in the risin

him and, with an oath drew the die

from his pooket and slashed at M

Bigh men grabbed for Lobban's ar:

but although firmly held kept on usla

around Krofft's nock. The latter ba

his throat laid open for several inche-

exposing the wind pipe, but the point

of the blade was turned by the Adam'

Lobban drepped both the dirk and

the knife, but the latter was foun-

hands of detective Harrod. That Lob

ban has a vicious nature was indicated

brewing. Later they made the state-

ment that Lobban was a bad man to

apple, thus saving his life.

R office throat.

EUROPEAN ALLES

DRITAIN AND GERMANY

WASHINGTON, DEC. 12.

DEFECULTUS

WASHINGTON, DEC. 12.

LA GUAYRA, DEC 12-CASTRO. IT IS NOW CERTAIN, INTENDS TO PIGHT. A DEPUTATION HAS HEEN SENT BY HIM TO THE REV OF UTIONARY GENERALS TO FOR- CORDING TO A DESPATCH RE GUT GRIEVANCES AND GET IN CEIVED BY THE STATE DEPART LINE FOR VENEZUELA RESELIMENT FROM MINISTER BOWEN GENERAL ROLANDO HAS BEEN THIS MORNING, PRESIDENT CAS-OUFERED THE MILITARY GOVERN TRO HAS REQUESTED HIM TO MENT IF HE WILL COME OVER AIN THAT THE DIFFICULTIES ANOTHER ARISING OUT OF CLAIMS FOR AL-RUBEL, HAS BEEN OFFERED SUILEDED DAMAGES AND INJURIES THE UNITED TO ARBITRATION.

GERMANY'S POSITION

STATES WILL INTERFERE

is Not to Capture Castro But to Maintain a Blockade.

BERGAN, DEC. 12. IT IS STATED UBLIVANCE. TO ORDERS FROM THEIR IS A NEW PHASE VENEZUELA, THIS MORNING FOR THAT THE SHOW OF AMERICAN INTERESTS IN THE OCCUPY THE TERRITORY GER SAM FORCES WILL NOT AD-VANCE INTO THE INTERIOR, IT IS ANNOUNCED NOR WILL THEY TRÝ TO CÁPTURE CASTRO, THEÝ WIGH MERELY MAINTAIN A BOOKADE.

the BRITAIN AND GERMANY IN VEN-Of the Atlies Will be Followed by United States.

THE TION FOR MEDIATION DIRECT TO WASHINGTON, DEC. 10 THE THE FOREIGN OFFICES OF THOSE OFFICIALS HERE SAY UNITED STATES WILL PLACE OF STATE HAS WIRED MINISTER ITS OWN CONSTRUCTION ON DOWER PERMISSION TO GRANT EVERY MOVE MADE BY THE AL PRESIDENT CASTRO'S REQUEST LEES AND WILL DECIDE FOR IT. IN SUBMITTING THE PROPOSI SELF WHETHER OR NOT ANY TION TO GREAT BRITAIN AND PARTICULAR ACTION WOULD IN SOT TO ACT IN ANY SENSE AS VOLVE ANY POSSIBLE VIOLA REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNIT-LON OF THE MONROE DOCTRINE ED STATES

VERY

Different State of who drew a knife. He had an ugly **Affairs**

Was the Fight

As Seen by a Disinter- from Missouri and crossing the isle-

ested Spectator.

Lobban's Story of Stabbing dimently, but Lobban soon includes Full of False Representations,

According to C. A. Graham Who his knife with the arm he had throw was in the Penusylvania Car from the Start to the Close of the Trouble.

The story told by those who were on the Pennsylvania train Tuesday covered with blood and is now in the evening when Samuel Lobban slashed Wm. Krofft, with a knife, differs very materially from the explanation from by two of his companions who got up the assailant, who is in jail awaiting and left the car when they saw trouble

the action of the grand jury. Lobban related his side of the case to the Times-Democrat Wednesday and | deal with and they knew a fight could today Charles Graham, deputy county not be avoided.

CUBAN TREATY.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Gen. Bliss mbled the state department from Havanna this morning that the draft During the Month of Novemof the new commercial treaty between Cuba and the United States was signed at 11 o'clock last night by himself and the Cuban secretaries of state and treasury. The ceremony took place at the palace after a dinner given by President Palma. The terms of the treaty have not been dividged, but it s understood that the document prorides in general for a 20 per cent re duction on goods passing between the United States and Cuba, either way.

DOCKED THE MEN

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 12 --- Edward Ridgeway, former docking boss, of the Temple Coal and from Co., was the first witness this morning before the strike commission. He made interest my statements about the system of blekams those employed by the comany. Ridgeway said that he was repared to make an average on any where from five to seven percent dock ace. Witness said dockage was of progratty made regardless of condu Ridgeway said he docked cars if coal which were clean and had the ocessary amount of topping. Wit as a on cross examination denied that to companys' figures showing that dockage was only a triffe over 1 per sent were correct

GARDNER

And "Kid" Blackburn in a 15 Round Contest.

Terre Haute, Ind., 18cc 42 - Considrable interest is manifested in the beams show to be pulled oil tonight at the Casino theatre. The winderp will or furnished by Eddie Gardner and "Kid" Blackburn, who are scheduled o miget in a fifteen-round contest.

ANOTHER GARDNER

To Try a Hand at Putting His

Buston, Mass., Dec. 12 Parsy Sweeper and Gus Cardner in a twelve ingside of the Criterion Athletic clubee in excellent condition and a flerce contest is expected to be the outcome.

SILVER SERVICE.

Columbus, Dec. 12.- Gov. Nash has appointed a committee to get funds for a silver service for the battleship Obio. It is hoped that \$25,000 can be raised for this purpose.

CONFIDENCE

Of Enormous Business for 1903 Already Felt.

Chicago, III., Dec 12.--Probably never before has a more reneral feel ing of confidence prevailed among any dass of railroad officials regarding the sutlook for traffic than is felt among the western contingent at the present time regarding the outlook for 1903. A canvass of the officials of the prindpal western roads fails to find a ingle one who is not of the opinion that the volume of traffic and earnings in the roads during the coming year will be far in excess of the figures for the current year.

One particular fact is emphasized, and that is the rate situation, which is said to be perfect. The large amount of east and westbound traffic has given all the railroads as much business as they can possibly handle with their present equipment, and there has been no incentive for cutting rates.

LATER RESULTS.

Are in Favor of Sherwell, Who Will Go Free.

Evansville, Ind., Dec. 12.-Policoman Sherwell who was accused of killing three women and who is now out on bail as a result of the jury disagree ing in a case when he was charged with murdering Lens Renner, will go free. All cases against him will be **EARNINGS**

In Penitentiary were Increased

ber This Year.

Nearly Two Hundred United States Prisoners are Now Confined at the Ohio Penal In-

stitute.

Columbus, O., Dec. 12.—(Special)-

The penitentiary managers held a meeting today, most of the time being taken up with routine business. Reports of various officers of the institution were submitted. A comparative statement of earnings for labor for November, 1992, 1991 and 1999 shows a remarkable increase for the month just closed. The total carnings for the month were \$15,859.61 with a population of 1,593, making the per capita carnings of each prisoner for the month \$2.95. In 1901 the earnings were \$14,172, the nonalation 1,699 and the per capita \$8.34. The same month

The number of United States prise: rs at the end of the mouth were 197, and state prisoners 1,430, making the otal prison population 1.827

BARRETT DECLINES.

Washington, Dec. 12, "The state do artment teday received a dispatch irom John Barrett, declining the ap contract of punister to Japan, and giving as his reason, his employment as oriental representative of the St Laula exposition

MISS TAYLOR

Will Appeal to Powers Higher | Big Attendance of Delegates at the Than Mr. Elihu Root.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12 .- The peition of Miss Rebeca J. Taylor for a writ of mandamus to compet the secretary of war to reinstate her in her position at the war department came wide attention because of the assertonicht. The two fighters appear to tion that Miss Taylor was discharged on account of making certain criticisms of the administration's Philippine policy. Miss Taylor averred that her removal was in violation of the civil zervice roles and demanded an investigation, Secretary Root adhered to his original order of dismissal and Miss Taylor then appealed to the courts to compel the secretary to remstate her. The final result of the proceedings is awaited with keen inter est in departmental circles.

> PEACE DESIRED.

New York, Dec. 12 .- A joint conference of the National league and American league of baseball is now at progress. Both sides are for peace. They will arrange for a salary limit for a players and a non-connicting schedule Ben Johnson, it is said, will oppose any consolidation of the two leagues

Chicago Stock Market.

Chicago, Dec. 12 .- Cattle 5,000, weak hogs; 35,090, slow 10 and 15 cents lower; sheep 17,000, weak, 10 and 2σ

\$500,301 HIGHER.

Washington Dec. 12.-The house committee on appropriations today re ported to the house the great salary bill, a dill making appropriations for legislative, executive and judicial expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1904. Estimates aggregated, \$27,354,278. The bill car ries \$26,930,453, being \$500,301 more than the appropriation for the current

Grain and Pork. Chleago, Dec. 12.—Closing Decem-Pork 16.57.

TO STOP DISEASE

Washington, Dec. 12.-When the house met today. Mr. Wadsworth, chairman of the committee on agriculture, asked unanimous consent for appropriating \$1,000,000 to be used by the secretary of agriculture in stamping out foot and mouth disease now ravaging new England live stock. The bill provides beside: the appropriation now held by the secretary of the treasmry, be vested in the secretary of agriculture

IMMENSE

Scheme to Result in the Irrigation of Idaho.

Boise, Idaho, Dec. 12,-The state is Stabo is soon to be the scene of the States, and the third in scope in the world. The land to be reclaimed is along the Snake river, and the tract is includes the building of two immens canals, the development of power a Shoshone Palls, and the building of an electric railroad forty-five miles long from the Oregon Short line railroad at Shoshone to the two towns. The area to be reclaimed includes the tract which was set aside several year ago for a National park because of its beautiful scenery.

HONOR

by Maccabees.

Chas. A. Hiatt Elected District Commander.

District Convention Held in ¡Wapakoneta Yesterday Afternoon.

Yesterday afternoon and evening. at Wanakoneta, was held one of the most successful district meetings o the Maccabees that has gone upon record since the local district was organized. There are thirty-eight tests of the Knights in the district, comprising Allen, Auglaize, Mercer, Shelby, Logan, Hardin, Van Wert and Putnam counties, and twenty-seven of these tents were represented at the

The principal business of the afternoon meeting was the election of ourcers and the following excellent selections were made:

District commander, Charles A. Hiatt, Lima; lieutenant commander, W. E. Pusey, Bellefontaine; record keeper, C. A. Heinrichs, St. Marys: chaplain, J. W. Keller, Wapakoneta; sergeant, Thomas Johnson, Ohio City; master at arms, F. S. Kelly, Henbura; first master of the guard, C. E. Barnhart, Santa Fe: second master of the guard, A. T. Anderson, Spencerville; sentinel, C. E. Hoy, Kenton: picket, Samuel Betha, Uniopolis.

CHICKEN CHOLERA.

San Francisco, Dec. 12 .-- Dr. A. H. Glennore, accredited government representative, has prepared a report to be forwarded to Washington, in which he states that the bubonic plague has never existed in San Francisco or in California. He says the suspected plague is merely chicken cholera.

POLICE CALLED.

Chicago, Dec. 12.-Armed watchmen and a detail of police were today summoned to the yard of the George Lill Coal Co. to prevent demonstrations by angry citizens who vainly besiged the officers in efforts to get anthracite coal. Three vessels laden with coal. consigned to the firm, have been moored in the river several days. The company has refused to sell coal to ber wheat 75%; corn 57%; cats 37%; lany save old customers and to them through Sunday and among the notal with Bertha, paid his fine and was reonly in small lots of half a ton.

ROUGH HOUSE IN THE PEN

the immediate consideration of a bitt Nearly Resulted in the Murder of One of the Convicts.

that power to regulate traffer in earlie. Why Inneates Should be Provided With Knives and Kindred Weapons is a Question for the State Authorities to Answer.

Columbus, O., Dec. 12.- (Special) - 1 stool, Chambers had dealt him a sting-Gypsic Bill" Bloomfield, the 16 year ing blow in the eye. By this time the Hamilton county prisoner at the peni-liguards were on the scene use the centlary, started a rough house in the combatants were seperated. Investigainsane ward yesterday and succeeded tion shows that Chambers was made in seriously wounding the runner of cent, and had simply defended biasself that department, Wm. Chambers. The against an attack from "Gypsic Bill" rouble started between 'Gypsic Bill' | who, by-the-way, is a full blooded and another inmate of the long house'l gypsie, and ever since his incarectonamed Sullivan. Sullivan pulled a tion in the penitentiary has been a knife, and Chambers, who saw the source of trouble. He will not work trouble, suggested that the men had and has been an inmate of the insance befor stop fighting. This suggestion department for some time About a seemed to anger 'Gypsie Bill' more year ago he attempted to murder anthan the sight of Sullivan's knife, as other puseuer named Sheehan. He he turned from Sullivan to Chambers, crept up behind Sheehan, while tae and picking up a stool struck Cham- letter was seated, and slashed him hers a victous blow on the head. With across the face with a knife. "Cypsic blood streaming from a huge gash in Bill" is a treacherous devil, and one the top of his head, almost blinded by hardly knows when he will turn ou the blood streaming down his face, them, and being vicious as well as Chambers dashed at "Gypsic Bill" and treacherous, it is impossible that he before the latter could again swing his will yet receive his just deserts.

Accorded a Lima Man OPINIONS ON THE CODE NOW BEING CIVEN OUT

> Are Closely Watched by the Various Municipalities in This State.

in an opinion rendered to Charles anditor may act as clerk. Bond, solicitor of Wellsville, special ditional compensation; also that Wells next council by formal action,

Columbus, O., Dec. 12. - (Special) - (be elected next April. Also that the

In an opinion rendered to T. J. Miller solicitor of Franklin, O., he held that counsel Bennett, of the attorney gen-boards of health are not to be elected eral's office, holds that the mayor, if by the present council, and that sinkhe acts as magistrate, may receive ad-jing funds must be established by the

The opinions being constantly given In opinion rendered to Waiter S. by special counse! Bennett, are being Martin, solicitor of Middletown, he watched with much interest by the holds that the president of council is various municipalities throughout the not a member of council, and that if state, as, in nearly every case, the Middletown does not have police it opinion rendered is appreciable to that was not have under the new code of some other municipality, who pos-Further that the establishment of possibly has not gone so far as to bring lice and fire departments and boards the matter to the attention of the at-

HISTORIC

Hopkins university. Tavern in Gotham Will be Purchased and Preserved.

New York, Dec. 13.Leading members of patriotic and historical societies of New York and other persons interest ed in the preservation of historical relies made up a delegation that visit ed Mayor Low at the city hall today and presented plans for the purchase by the city of the historic Fraunco's Tavern, at Pearl and Broad street where the first meeting of the chamber of commerce was held, and in Washington bade farewell to his officers at the close of the Revolution is included. The structure is admirably preserved and is still occupied as a tavern. It is purposed to purchase enough adjoining property to make 3 public park. It is estimated that the cost to the city will be about \$370,000.

BLAZE IN SCRANTON.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 12.-Fire total ly destroyed the wholesale grocery of J. L. Connell, early this morning. The 60 cents per day. loss is \$200,000. Falling walls injured four firemen, three so seriously they had to be taken to the hospital.

Golden Jublice. Baltimore, Md., Dec. 12.—Grace sed. Protestant Episcopal church, the leading church of its denomination in Baltion of its golden jubilee. The annible participants will be Bishop Potter leased.

of health is left to the new council to torney general's office. of New York, Dishop Brewster, of Connecticut, Bishop Paret of Maryland

and President Ira Remsen, of Johns

COLUMBUS

Work House to Receive One More.

Riley Point Will Join the Lima Colony There.

which the famous "long room," where Has Twenty Dollars Fine and Some Costs to Work Out at Sixty Cents Per Day-Mayor's Court Cases.

> Riley Point, a young fellow who has been gaining considerable prominence along depot row, opposite the P. Ft. W. & C. passenger station, was tried in mayor's court this morning on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was found guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$20 and costs and was ordered committed to the Columbus work house until the fine and costs are paid at the rate of

> John Guy, arrested for drunkeuness, raid a fine of \$5.00.

Cal. Rupert, charged with carrying a concealed weapon, was found to be a reputable citizen and was dismis-

Sergeaut Wingate went to Columbus this morning, taking Bertha Phearson timore, today began a notable celebra- to the work house, where she will work out a fine of \$25 and costs. The driller versary exercises are to continue named Katter, who was arrested

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THREE WELLS ON ONE FARM

Make the Banner Lease in the South Lima Field.

Maire Bros. Get a Good Well on the Montford No. 7, R. B. Morrison, section 31, was harrels naturally. The same company Farm in Amanda Township---A Fifty Barreller Finished in German Township.

Thoughout	31.6
Pennsylvania oil	
With Board of	
Sumerset of	ş.
facey oil	9
North tama oil	1.1.
South Lima oil	1.0
indiana oil	10
One of the best leases in the	sout
Lima field is the Isaac Davis far	m. ir

section 2, of Marion township, Handlin the Allen county field. Maire started at 5 barrels. cock county, upon which the Ohio Oil Bros, have finished up a good well on Company has drilled nearly 30 wells, the G. Montford farm, section 20, the last one completed, No. 27, being Amanda Tp., the first day's gauge in a class by itself. Within the first showing a production of \$2 barrels. 24 hours after it was shot, this well in German township, the Grand water, but will probably make a small

On the A. L. Davis farm, in section 1: g of the same township Wm. T. Jebb has completed No. 3 well, and it was

6 Hancock county, in section 2 of Allen 2 township, the Atlas Oil Company has a good well in No. 3 on the J. M. 7 Lyon farm, the first day's output havh ing been 50 barrels

put 200 barrels of oil into the tanks. Rapids & Lima Oil Company's No. 6 pumper.

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on each.

TAKES LESS MONEY

E. Bradiey, section 20, was a 50-barrel well, and the Devonian Oil Company's No. 6, M. J. Sanford, section 17, proluced 15 barrels at the start.

A Light One in Van Wert County. The Brown Oil Company has a light veil in its No. 1 on the John Johwinnen farm, section 9 of Jennings town ship. Van Wert evounty, the India! output having been 11 barrels.

In Union township of Mercer county, Voke Bros., Munyon & Co. got a very light showing of oil in their No. 1 on county, Indiana, northeast of Parker the M. Miller farm, northeast quarter City. This company's second well on of section 33, and it has been abandon, the Ephriam Cecil farm, section 9, ed. In Black Creek township of the Monroe township, has been drilled in same county, the Sun Oil Company's and during the first 24 hours made 140 a 15-barrel well.

The C - Gets a Good One.

Company has a pretty to Auginite county field, coost we No. 2 on the Henry P Paglow farm. section 7. Noble township, having produced 44 barrels the first day. The ame company's No. 3, John Kusler.

A dester is marked up against the record of Sandusky county, Moratgomery, Stitt & Company's No. 2, F. Shulte, section 7. Woodville township. having been in the non-productive In Madison township, J. W. Kirkbride's No. 5, John E. Jones section 20, was good for 25 barrels. ane in Sandusky township, Williams Bros.' No. 1, J. D. Hensch, section 15.

in southern wood county. Bright & Simpson have completed No. 1 on the T. Weeks' farm, section 3, Henry township, and it is pumping salt

Barnsdall lass a 30 barrel well in No on the L. D. Heminger & Co. farm ction 6, Jackson

Wells County Results.

The Obla Oil company's test on the

section 17, made 15 barrels and No 2. Jones heirs, section 17, was a 5 bar ret well. McCauley & Driscoll com pleted two wells on the Blizabeth L. farm, section 4, the production being

10 and 15 barrels respectively. The Markets Advance

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Good Well in Indiana.

had a similar producer on the Z. Cecil farm a short time ago, and these good wells are of more interest inasmuch as it is new encroachment on the gas territory and has been very prolific of dusters.

In Delaware county, west of Selma, the Liberty Cil Company's No 11 on the county infirmary tract, section 8. Liberty township, was a 20-barrel!

Van Buren towrship of Madison county, the Fairmount Glass Works' No. 4. on the L. N. Sluder farm, and J. M. Tait's No. 1, Peter Worth, section 20. In Jay county, Tuttle & Co., have finished up a 40 barrel well at No 11. on the M. E. Martin farm, section 8 Penn township.

In Blackford County.

A couple of the new wells in Blackford county are fair producers, but as a rule, they are not of large calibre a rule, they are not of large calibre The Phoenix Oil company has a fair

In Harrison township, Carlin Bros Fred Miller, section 4, was a 5 barrel well, and T. N. Barnsdall's No. 3, M. Walker, in section 31, had the same

prices of crude and refined oils during [the last two months is begining to atract considerable attention to the available supply of crude material The stocks of oil in storage are known to have been greatly depleted, while he demands are far in excess to the supply. A number of causes have combined to create the shortage. The righ prices of coal have been the means of creating additional demands for oil burners, which consume large quantities of refined oils in the kitchenranges throughout the country. The temands have also increased in ratio to the increased demand in all lines of smale products. No new pool have been found by the producers, at may be counted upon to open up targe areas of oil producing territory it is now thought that the renneries will with the demands, and to consequence prices have been sent up rapidly. Expert oil men content that the supply is really in a bad way and the price: will be sent skyward unless relief is found in new fields. The course of events in the oil fields thus winter will therefore be watched with much in

GENTLEMEN'S SHOE... MICHAEL'

Maccabees Still Hold the District Banner.

Quite a number of local members of degree team of Lima tent No. 142, to Wapakoneta jast night to witness the ontest in team work between the Lima tent men and the team of Massasolt tent at Wanakoneta. Acemhers of the order from other places were chosen for judges and some very fine team work was witnessed. The teem from this city, headed by Capt. Derringer, did very fine work and only lost the prize, the district banner, by



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If you are buying gifts for men come here and look over this grand array of wearing apparel, everything useful, everything that man and boy wil appreciate. We've made preparation for the biggest holiday trade in years. We've made no advance in prices but to the contrary, lower prices will prevail than ever before.

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BUGGY

Stolen from J. W. Ortman

In South Lima

Bad Character Causes Grow Method of chard that might concaver of are arranging for a r Trouble.

Albert Fawcett Preaches an Admirable Sermon at Grace Church.

Mr and Mrs John Moore Entertain Friends - Business, General and Personal Notes of Interest.

1 W Ortman seems to be the victim it frequent depredations by thieves ately his home has been broken into nd a number of articles of value Yesterday some one stole a belonging to Mr Ortman It as standing near the house and was then while the owner was away from ome. As in the other cases there s no clue to the guilty person

Delightful Event At their pleasant home on south Visit street last night. Mi and Mrs. chn Moore elegantly entertained a rage number of invited guests in empliment to several relatives of the Moote's who are visiting here from springfield III. The evening was deated to the enjoyment of various deasantries including games and rasic. During the evening a linear on of searonable delicacies was served. All present were royally enhospitality accorded them by Mr and Omaha Neb last October The dis

Annoying Man Carr and Ashton, of east Kibby

Mrs Moore

street were greatly annoyed last night by some fellow who persisted in entering their place of business contrary to their wishes. He became so annoy street, has returned from Noblesville ing that they were compelled to call Ind, where she attended the wedding

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shortly return to his employment

build an addition to the factory

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Coming to Lima

Badly Hurt

Benton Rambo of Reece avenue is

confined to his home by a painfully

sprained knee. The accident occur

red yesterday while he was working

Successful Meeting

Christ last night Rev George H Sams

pastor of the south Lima Church of

Christ addressed a large congregation

assembled to witness the exercises of

sions. Mi Sims gave a detail account

of the deliberations of the national

convention of organization held at

of the two churches was interesting

Attended Wedding.

Mrs E L Kraft of east Kibby

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Here at Was the after spring a by special request Abort Paworth is receiving the atment at the oils hos of west bible strock a divinity site pital

dent provided very socieptably at M and Mrs Reuben White of south He disers was a grand effort in account their family to be held at their which has a steel time if rios creek from Chatrins day. Their children table. To is a dear thinker and in and family of inclifferent states will eloquest speaker. Mr. Faveett man the present upon the occasion mested air murkable knowledge of the

H F Morreon of Broadway 'as sor ptures. When he is completely in vested with the offices of his calling returned from a trib to Venedoc a he will undoubtedly do honor to the [] A Marchall who has been the guest of Mrs D 1 McElroy has re turned to his hore at Biufiton James Dellays of Se ond street Mrs Henry Castle of south Main who re ntl submitted to a delica e street who has been quite ill for operation for the removal of occor has some time to convalencing

paired is recovering nicely from the ing entertained at the home of R. F. effects of the operation expecting to Mortimer on west Kibbs street Mrs A L Glover of Owaba Neb after a two weeks visit with Mrs E George Vicary has purchased the J McEiroy has gone to Convoy for a tract of land west of his manufactury few days stay after which she will on east Eureka street and will shortly return to be the guest of Mrs Mc

Mrs 8 Powell of Columbus is be

Owaba Harvey Elliott of Harland is here A J Pratt who is employed in south Lima will soon move his family from era visa with J W Baker of south their former home at Spencerville to Pine street Mr Elliott contemplates removing to this city to engage in business

Elroy before returning to her home at

NOTICE

All members of Contains lodge No. 11 Pathinders are requested to be pres ent tonight There are five candidates to initiate and other business of importance to fransact

R G MILLER President

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COUNTRY

Home the Scene of a Pretty Wedding.

Eldest Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Roush Wedded to Wm. Pierce Cahili.

About forty guests assembled at the nor and Mr and Mrs John K Roush east of lama on last evening to witness the marriage of their ellest daughter. Ma . Magdaleue to the man of her on ice Wm Pierle Cabill.

The cosy country home was fittingy decorated with emilax and cut dowers and in the southeast corner of the parlor was a floral arch under which the bride and groom were made man and wife

The Rev F P Bossart used the beautiful and impressive marriage service of the Lutheran church Mr Car., a young man well and farorable known, a curpenter, who has already provided a home for his unite on Birch asonie

The bride is one of those sterling gives who a not enly able to attend to her secral daties but who knows area by w to keep house and provide a good home for ber haspand. After the cer rony the sappy couple received it was of congratulations from their to ads. Phistocher over they led the v to the sumptions wedding feast torine, or the during room, where in after other streets Rev Bos sat spek in fee preferment the mat m to a pear't retend the separation old and beset to presenting er, but \$ he im actioning gift of

I are table or that leaded with bandson , and valuable afts of silver can china ere the forene of love

the rest of a large and has been a bonen of pink white carmations trur such of your as the nost had provided some loads of visiting the com 1202 tack their lease after much hear in handsnaking and many good wishes! for the bride and groom. They will be at home to their friends after January

the to the court house for your .. made baking tomorrow

FUNERAL

Of Mrs. Margaret Johnson Will be Held Tomorrow.

· remains of Mis Margaret Johner aha math occurring at Lonfor mak above include generoday. term is here tonight and will be the new the home of the decase is son W., Johnson was west Concular county of the floor member with the metal.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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Bobby Reases for the first time since his coming to filma, met a wrestler on the mat at Moore's garden last night who took all the strength science and tricks that the so far mymerbly Bebby had to spare George King may not be as widely known as some other light, weight knights of the mat but he had the staving qualities which mark him as one with whom no uncertain chances

There was a large but disappointed rowd present at the hour announced there would only be a short delay, but the time dragged on until mearly obonce fallowed by a cheer announced no time in geral z reads for the bout

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the amount of any continuous

of one and it wasn't long before the crowd resilzed that they were getting a ron for their money. For the first half hour both men were frequently on the defensive, and while Roaks. work showed up the stronger, King proved that he was not a novice at the business and time and again broke from holds which seemed mextricable. Reakes was the stockier built of the two, but King was the taller and carried a form knit with muscles as

bard as iron. The men were on their feet scarcely a minute before ther was a short, quick scrimmage, and King went to the floor on his hands and knees with Reakes on top of hun Both played every point in the game for a fall and time and again it looked like either one or the other would have to yield to his opponent's strength Reakes did some fast work in the last half of the hour, and King tood a lot of punishing At one un Lad II alles' head in chanand the here was so close to a connect, but Robby got out of it and with a quick And were Amply Repaid as the turn, got a leg seasor hold with which a movement, too quick for the eye to follow. Reakes turned King completely what seemen minutes, but gradually his shoulders showed a faint but certain viciding and the first fall was scored by Leake, in 49 minutes and 30 seconds

> he wrestlers again made their appear ance. Reakes expressed himself as being able to make short work of it and he did. King was almost entirely on the defensive and only once or twice did any real aggressive work. Reakes ecured the record fall in 16 minutes half Nelson combining to do the trick Immediately after the bout, Mr Warner, who accompanied King, chalengen Reakes to meet King at catchhe was willing to give King the advan-le age in weight providing all holds should go Warrer wanted the strangs barred but it was finally agreed that I would be normited in one fail all the to the a wind it should he. The accept a a forbit of \$2° BY THE THE ESPT TO THE THE TO FINE to begin at nine or ck

After a rest of a quarter of an hour

STEIN BLOCH SUITS AND OVER-COATS HAVE A DISTINGUISHED LOOK MICHAEL'S

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Of Mr. John Neff and

Former Lima Man Returns

Business Man at Galion, and They Will Reside in

the Rev. F. P. Bossart, the ring service the only out of town guest. The fatend congratulations and best wishes

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The J. H. Blattenburg was exceed to

to Claim His Bride.

Groom is New a Prominent Young That City.

and W H Hay are in Columbus and

Mrs. Foram Brand and Mrs. Martin Ca scoman have recurred to their homes in Waterloo Ind die a pleasant visit with the booter. Mr-Thomas Lauran and fames of oct

MARRIAGE

Miss Newman.

Yesterday at the home of the bride's mother Mrs ... Newman at 737 west Wayne street, occurred the marriage of Airss Bertha M. Newman, a popular young lady of this city, to Mr John A Neil a prominent young business man of Galion, Ohio The impressive ceremony of St. Pauls he brought King half ozer. Then with Lutheran church was performed by being used. The bride and groom over and before the latter could re- made their appearance in the patter to over his goard soured the coveted the strains of Lohengrin's wedding hammer lock. King held him off for march, played by the bride's sister. Miss Louise Newman. The house was tastefully decorated in paims and carnations the prevailing colors being pink and white. Only the immediate friends of the family were present Miss Fiora Pennell, of Cleveland being ture home of the bride and groom will be in Galion. The best wishes of their many friends go with them. Mr. Neff is a former Lima man and his legion of old friends here most cheerfully exand F seconds the hammer lock and His bride is a very estimable young lady and their marriage is indeed a

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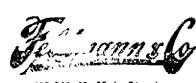
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209-211 N. Main Street

TODAY'S **TOPICS**

Debated on Between Teams from Uni. for the benefit of the new society building which will be erected next spring. versities of Pennsylvania and Cornell and Harvard and Princeton.

Principa, N. J. Dec. 12 .- The anamaly deliate between representatives of Harvood and Princeton universities sales place here tonight and it promise he event of the collectate year. The Universal depators will support the shimmative and the Harvard menthe mention side of the question.

Resolved, That whenever in the event of compared domesty, victored lives and property are not adequately proarcter by a state, it is for the public genet easy the may that sharld have the person to allow a proportion without

A. Refferma, Edsarfals and Witch C. R. West and C. S. Hore.

Judge at W. M. Larrings of Frenter Joban and Albert Shaw, witter of the Review of Reviews Judge Charles Andrews, of Syromer, and History Scarbornagh, of New Jersey will be

Itbaca, N. Y., Bec. 12. "Resolved, That the present tariff on the raw magrials and longh products of from and steel, such as bar from olg from rails. text ingots, etc., is justified on the ground of the protection of American sudustry against foreign competition. together in annual defense. The Penna, lyunia defaters will buye the nega

Carroll Diller, of Philipdelphia and Bichard Warren Barrett, of Wilmingor. O., with Edgar Uzrnes of Washingian as siternated. The men selected to phold the honors of Cornell are F. L. Carlish, of Wateriown, N. Y., C. B. Powl, of Cortland, N. Y., and F. H. liftier, of Cobleskill, with H. S. Brancher, of Lockport, as alternate,

nnannannannannan THE STAGE. nunnannunnunnun Famous Filipino Fighter,

which is the motive of the opera, is in public life. "I Love My Dolly's Ankles and Her-Freet" in the second act Mr. Delamotive has another big solo, "Love is opera. Mr. Harold makes principal tenor saw is entitled "Mr Ship's the I saliteh is ha ensembleamaunt for a modern which operat Miss Wall, a spraw four cyles area leasts in three ducts and one quartette.

Sur builded and Madds, we bright The have on the alors for the least Place & Miles If all reports are true. To be appreciated, sud on cancers of the real promisers that the sted to are cel Hogan's Alley comes to Fincous opera horse tomorrow matines and exeming, Paying at popular proces, ranging from the to bill earls

"The Bign of the Cross " Wison Barrett's celebrated drama of Rome under Nero, will be seen for the arm: time in this city at the Payrot operahouse on Monday, the tack. The play, it is said, abounds in thrilling scenes, and incidents sportfed dialogue and p unexpected effmanes and is staged in r most complete and beautiful manner.

SHERWELL

Accused of Brutal Murders, Has Another Chance.

Evansythe, het., Dec. 12 - The case of William S. Sherwell, charged with too marrier of Fennie Butier, was calldiffular. The that, it is expected, with enmoners, next we do. Sheawell is the former policeman who has been chard a with committing several mardoes of the Jack-the Ripper type. wiffer exected a great semulation in Evanse the more than a wour ages Many west was presently trivel for the march and Mas. Georgia Raffey and arquitted. At appearant two indictments for needer stand against him. As the eride: a in the Halley case was controuger than in the other two called the seneral coinion that he be convicted

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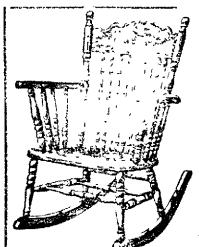
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The filly eighth annual meeting of Northwestern Ohio Medical Soc was closed at Finding last negleith an emborate banquet. The sea L. Bates, Dr. A. S. Rudy, Dr. S. Jan Dr. P. H. Hantley, Concerning a paper abuilted before the meeting by Dr.

"Dr. F. L. Bares, of Lima there ?" thought out. He temphed on the sub ct of the teacher, pupil and builo be healthy, as well as qualified men

tally. Dr. Bates advocated abvaic. Caiming strongly. He also believed that the architecture of the building should be corplatty considered as a rabil is always induenced by his environments. Adjustable desks ought curvature of the spine and eye troubles are indicative of the present in adquate seating system

In concluding Dr. Bates stated that his paper was written to present both the doctors' and teachers' side of the First quality near seal jacket erown subject. The production reached all the important points of the theme and was very instructive. A visiting physician in commenting on the subject complimented Dr. Bates or his efforts. He stated that the subject was a most important one in that it treated of the abode of young people a great portion of their lives. Dr. Groffe stated that a medical examiner should be appoint of for the schools. This was but one of the valuable suggestions made. Dr. look after the school sanitation.

On motion of Dr. Kimmel it was deshal to select a committee to draw no a set of resolutions of respect for have died in the last year. The following were appointed: Drs. Bane, of

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Go to the court house for your home made baking tomorrow.

Mr. Pompon-Harie, I warn you again-you must keep within your allowance," Miss Pompon-"O, papa, if , a girl isn't in debt now-a-days, she simply isn't in it."

Bacor-"You say there are no bookbinderies in Morocco?" Egbert--"I believe that's the report." "Ridiculous. See all the books we got that Ribbons, Special.

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Special Offerings for Holiday Buying.

Never before in the years this store has been anticipating your holiday needs have we had such expression of dazzling beauty and extreme novelry in such assortment as you'll find here now-as you'll see nowhere else. Our preparations for Holiday trade are notable in several ways, including the largeness of stocks, the extent of varieties, the richness of styles and the closeness of prices. And right here let us say to you that we realize that low price inducements, unless coupled with reliability and sterling worth, are of little interest to the prudent buyer, but standard grade articles priced on a bargain basis, such as we now quote- are extremely gratifying--immense assortments and the lowest prices, make this store an ideal "headquarters" for everything pertaining to winter merchandise.

Millinery at Half Price.



The end of the millinery season finds us with a large stock of millinery remaining on hand--handsome trimmed hats, including many of the very best styles of the year also a large number of untrimmed hats that are matchless values at the unheard-of prices we now quote. All these hars must be closed out and to do this and at the same time add to the attractiveness of this great Holiday store, we will place on sale today.

All Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats at Half Price.

This great sale will afford you an unprecedented opportunity to secure your Holiday hat at remarkably little cost. We assure you that no better qualities nor more desirable styles are to be had anywhere at any price. If you secure one of these hats at this offer we assure you it will be the best hat purchase you ever made.

Holiday Novelties an 10 and 25 Cents.

This week we've opened a large quantity of beautiful Christmas Novelties --- pretty little things that are within the reach of everybody's purse as we've priced them. Everything in Novelties that is new, best and in greatest demand is here in richly tempting assortment.

shell pin trays match holders thermometers decorated shells shell ink stands Indian head plagues 10 cents smoking sets pin cushions card stands paper weights shell ornaments

pipe racks rustic thermometers tooth-pick holders ash trays pin trays doll pin cushions shell baskets globe paper weights napkin rings pearl purses

25 Cents

and a large variety of lancy bric-a-brac 10 cents.

Something to Wear==Best Gifts.



Why not get the little girl a set of pretty furs? Don't say you can't afford it. Just examine the praces we quote below. Furs that are not only dainty in design, but capable of years of hard service, are the turs we have tor the chil-

Children's white lamb sets, muff and boa at

\$1.25.

Children's gray for sets, collar and muff,

\$1.50.

Children's imitation fox sets, very neat, with neck ribbon, bow and buckle,

\$2.00.

Children's fine Krimmer fur sets, fine quality,

\$4.25.

Children's fur sets of natural opossum, long collar and

\$5.00.

Christmas Umbrellas---Desirable Gifts.

We put thought and care into every one. Silks must be water-proof as well as soft; fast color as well as instrous; and they must wear as well as roll closely. The handles are in every desirable pattern. You can give nothing for a present that will he more appropriate for the weather that usually follows Christmas than a good umbrella. Come to us for an umbrella if you want that which will make you proud to give---and your friend happy to carry as a present.

tassel, \$3.00.

Ludies' 26-inch fine quality Gloria Umbrellas with horn dresden and silver trimmed handles, worth \$1.75,

Men's 28 inch extra fine quality Gloria Silk Umbrellas with handsome horn and natural handles, splendid value, \$1.75. Ladies' very fine silk serge Umbrellas, handsome

natural handles, case and tassel, \$2.25.

Ladies' and men's very fine tape edge taffets silk Umbrellas with Sterling allver, gold and pearl handles, case and tassel, regular value \$7.50 to \$10.00, a rare holiday bargain at \$5.00 each.

Ladies fine silk serge Umbrellas with paragon

frame, handsome silver trimmed handles, case and

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